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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
BERND HEIDA : ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION  
SERIAL NO: NEW U.S. PCT APPLICATION :  
(BASED ON PCT/EP05/01152)  
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FOR: METHOD FOR OBTAINING RAW - :  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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SIR:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.